# **Curriculum Vitae - Vania Lawson**

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### Qualifications, Technical/Professional Expertise

- Production & Design Course WAAPA
- Certificate in Stage and Studio Techniques Major SCENIC ART
- Certificate of Painting Old Arts Leederville TAFE
- Artistic Director of Sabi Art + Design specialized scenic art studios collaborating with architects, interior designers & film production agencies.
- Completion of White Card Occupational Health and Safety Induction
- Knowledge of Australian standards for public art, OHS and other relevant issues

#### **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

- \* 1990 Harmony of Colours Atwell Gallery
- \* 1991 Teds Café Gallery Northbridge
- \* 1992 Matilda Bay Gallery Fremantle
- \* 2011 Kingfisher Gallery West Perth

### **GROUP EXHIBITION**

- 1993 Kaleidoscopic Images Accent Gallery Group Exhibition Prize
- 1994 Accent Gallery Subiaco, Gallery 360 Subiaco, Gallery 281 Bayswater,
- 1997 Kingfisher Gallery Subiaco
- 2008 Hale School Art Exhibition Invited Artist
- 2009 In Degrees Gallery 360 Subiaco
- 2011 Finalist Clifton Art Prize, Northam Art Prize and Cossack Art Exhibition
- 2013 Streater Galleries Yallingup
- 2014 Artist of the Month Gallery 360
- 2015 Clancy's Gallery City Beach "Coast"
- 2016 Moore's Gallery Fremantle "Earth Wind Water"
- 2017 Newman College Group exhibition
- 2017 Gallows Gallery Mosman Park "Nuance"
- 2018 Gallery 152 York "Trace"
- 2018 Selected Artist Minnawarra Art Award
- 2018 Selected Artist Claremont Art Award
- 2019 Selected Artist Minnawarra Art Award
- 2019 Selected Artist Gallery 360
- 2019. Cossack Art Award
- 2019 Scene Exhibition Nyistor Gallery
- 2020. Perth College Art Exhibition

# **AWARDS COMMISSIONS or COLLECTIONS**

- Winner Best Painting 2018 Kalgoorlie Boulder Art Award
- Finalist Cliftons Art Prize 2012
- Finalist Northam Art Prize 2011
- St John of God Hospital Subiaco WA
- Ronald McDonald House WA
- McDonald Jones Architects \* Griffiths Design Group \* JWH Homes
- Newmont Asia Pacific \*ABN Group\* Quain Holdings
- Aurora Biofuel \* Aust. Mine Group
- MR Peter Collier MLA \* Massara Group
- Summit Homes \* Telco
- Private collections held in Perth, Sydney, Singapore, California & United Kingdom

### REPRESENTATION

Gallows Gallery Mosman Park WA

Gallery 360 West Leederville

Streater Galleries Yallingup

### **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS & MEDIA**

- **2007** Perth Woman Magazine
- 2009 In Site Artwork Image Spring Edition
- **2011 In Site** Artwork Image Autumn Edition
- **Sept 15**th **2015 "Artist Raise the Bar"** Western Suburbs Weekly
- **Sept 11**th **2015 "Gallery By the Sea"** The Subiaco Post
- **Sept 15**<sup>th</sup> **2015** "No Fishing Needed for Hanging Space" The Southern Gazette
- Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> 2017 "Generations of Creativity" The West Australian Arts Pages
- **Dec 8**th **2017 "Nuances in Nature"** The Post Newspaper
- **Dec 9**th **2017 "Review Artists of Perth Book"** The West Weekend Magazine
- 2017 Artists of Perth Book Premium Publishers